Mr. H. Krishnasastry observed that the case of the students of the University was one that deserved special consideration and as such a hospital might be attached to the University, the cost being borne from the funds placed at its disposal.

The Dewan explained that a scheme had been outlined in the orders on the Education Memorandum and that it could not be brought into operation for want of funds.

The members represented that the regular staff in the hospitals might be instructed to attend to the inspection of boys in schools also, as a part of their legitimate duties. No fee should be levied for such inspection, as most of the students are poor and find it difficult to pay even their school fees.

Dewan.—The Inspector General of Education applied for a provision of Rs. 15,000 to arrange for the medical inspection of schools, but owing to financial stringency no grant could be made for the purpose during the current year. Medical inspection will be arranged for from next year. Instructions will be issued for the inspection of schools at district headquarters by the District Medical Officers and for the inspection of those at taluk headquarters by the Medical Officers in charge of Taluk Dispensaries. An allowance will be granted to them for attending to this work.

SUBJECT No. 95.

Help to the students of the Malnad and backward parts of the State in their pursuit of higher education.

Mr. S. Srikantaiya, Mysore University.

Summary of Discussion.—Students of the Malnad parts may be shown special concession by way of grant of stipends in their pursuit of higher education.

The Dewan drew the attention of the member to the special stipends that are being given at present.

The members represented that for the education of the students that came from the Malnad further encouragement and concessions were necessary.

The Dewan replied that the question would be dealt with in the general order to be issued about the Malnad improvement.

SUBJECT No. 96.

Substitution of the Intermediate Course in place of the Entrance Course.

Messrs. Srinivasa Dikshit, Shimoga District Board and D. Vonkarappa, Shikarpur Town Municipality.

Summary of Discussion.—The present Entrance Examination is not very useful, as students that pass this examination cannot go up for technical examinations. The lessons in the Entrance Class are also very difficult and cannot be mastered within a period of one year. The Intermediate course of study may therefore be revived.

Dewan.—The question is being considered by the University Select Committee and their proposals in the matter are awaited.

SUBJECT No. 97.

Opening of 'Honours Course' in the Central College.

Mr. C. Krishna Murthi, Law Association, Bangalore.

Summary of Discussion.—Students that pass the B.A., Examination can study for the M.A., Examination at Mysore; but for those that pass B. Sc. examination from the Central College, there is at present no provision for their continuing their studies and taking the M. Sc. degree. It is therefore requested that Honours Course may be introduced in the Central College.

Dewan.—This is a matter for consideration by the University.